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Look at this Special!

Stainless Steel Sheffield Dinner and Dessert
Knives, with white handles.

Dessert Knives, per half dozen \$1.50
Dinner Knives, per half dozen 1.95

Do not fail to get in on this special as it is a remarkable buy.

J. L. ACHESON
EVERYTHING IN HARDWARE

John Deere
Farm Machinery

DeLaval Milkers and
Cream Separators

Some Attractive Deals —in— Farm Lands and Village Property

West-half of	Sec 12	W 29	Rge. 4	W 4th
East-half of	14	28	4	W 4th.
N 1/2 and S W 1/4 of	12	28	4	W 4th.
North-east of	7	28	4	W 4th.

Five room house with basement and furnace. Well on the property.

—For particulars, see—

THOMAS LEES

Real Estate—Brokerage and Insurance
Oyes - Alta. Phone 25

Two Carloads of Tractors in Transit

Here Next Week

Car load of Machinery unloaded this week

All sizes of Drills

56 marker and smaller

3 car loads of New Fords

coming this month

See The New 1929 models.

Chas. P. Snyder

Ford and L.H.C. Dealer
Oyen ... Alta.

Subscribe to your home Paper

George Langmuir
General Contractor

Chain drive Cement Mixer

Town and Country orders Solicited

Bonspiel Away Under Favorable Weather and Ice Conditions

Start delayed owing to mild weather Monday when thermometer reached 50 degrees in the shade. Eighteen rinks competing in two events.

The visitors: O'Connor of Kindersley (winner of both events last year), Anderson of Marengo, Cook of Alusk, Bishop of Excel, and McLeod of Youngstown.

LEGAL NOTICE

Farm For Sale

The S.W. 1/4 Sec 24, Twp. 29, Rge. 4, W 4th. TENDERS marked 2719 addressed to L. F. Clary, Esq. R.C. Master in Chambers, Court House, Calgary will be received up to 11 o'clock in the forenoon of Saturday the 23rd day of March A.D. 1929 for the purchase of above property.

Location: 10 miles from Acadia Valley, 80 acres of good arable land and 80 acres of pasture. House, creamery and stable.

TERMS: 5 per cent with tender, 25 per cent on acceptance of tender, 25 per cent in 3 months and 25 per cent in 6 months and the balance in one year from the date of the acceptance of tender with interest at 8 per cent.

In all other respects the standing conditions of sale will apply. Tenders must be accompanied by check or cheque for 5 per cent of the offer which will be returned in the event of non-acceptance. No tender necessarily accepted.

For further particulars apply to Balfour, Burnett, Spinkie and Hamilton, Solicitors, 501 Lancaster Building, Calgary, Alberta.

Dated at Calgary, Alberta, this 3rd day of February A.D. 1929.
M.C.
(Sgd) C. H. Smith,
Clerk in Chambers.

Municipal District of Bertawan No. 271

Notice is hereby given that, under the provisions of The Tax Recovery Act, 1922, and amendments thereto the Municipal District of Bertawan No. 271, will offer for sale by Public auction, at the Municipal Office, Sibbald, Alta., on Saturday, the 6th of April, 1929, at 2 p.m., the following lands:

Section	Twp.	Rge.	Mer.
N.E. 13	27	1	4
N.W. 16	27	1	4
N.E. 24	27	1	4
N.W. 31	27	1	4
N.E. 32	27	1	4
N.E. 33	27	1	4
S.E. 12	27	2	4
S.E. 13	27	2	4
N.E. 15	27	2	4
N.W. 16	27	2	4
N.E. 21	27	2	4
S.W. 23	27	2	4
N.E. 18	27	2	4
N.E. 19	27	3	4
N.E. 4	28	1	4
N.E. 20	28	2	4
N.E. 20	28	2	4
N.W. 28	28	2	4
N.E. 30	28	2	4
S.E. 30	28	2	4
S.W. 13	28	3	4
N.W. 19	28	3	4
N.E. 19	28	3	4
S.E. 23	28	3	4
S.W. 23	28	3	4
N.W. 29	28	3	4
N.W. 12	29	1	4
N.E. 24	29	2	4
N.E. 24	29	2	4
N.E. 32	29	2	4
N.W. 32	29	2	4
N.W. 32	29	3	4
N.E. 33	29	3	4

Lots 14, 15, 16, Block 5, Sibbald
Lot 17, Block 5, Sibbald

The above lands will be offered for sale subject to a reserve had in each case, and the reservations contained in the existing certificate of title. Redemption may be effected by payment of all arrears of taxes and costs at any time prior to the sale.

Dated at Sibbald, Alberta, this 4th day of February, 1929.

W. Linklater,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Subscribe to your home paper!

Oyen's tenth annual bonspiel got away to a fine start this morning with eighteen rinks competing, after being postponed for twenty-four hours on account of the unusually mild weather of Monday when the thermometer registered 50 degrees in the shade.

With a change in the weather for Tuesday morning, and a steadily dropping mercury, it was decided to go ahead with the 'spiel, commencing this morning. The ice was flooded yesterday afternoon, and ideal conditions prevailed this morning when play was commenced in the grand challenge, Morrison and O'Connor opening the 'spiel. Morrison got away to a good start but made a good fighting finish and reduced his opponent's lead considerably before accepting defeat. Wright, who was drawn against Cook of Alusk, got his game by default.

In the second draw Gibson and Bishop on the one sheet and Miller and Wade on the other, each went into the last game a tie, with Gibson and Wade winning.

In the third draw Dunford and Lees had a great battle, the former going into the last and one down, and failing to improve the situation with his last rock. McQuarrie and Whitlock had an interesting game on the other sheet of ice, the game going to the latter by a small margin.

In the fourth draw Marshall and McLeod (Youngstown) played in the challenge, the latter being victorious by a comfortable margin. Langmuir battled with "Sandy" Anderson of Marengo whose rink was skipped by Olson, in the Citizens event, the game going 13 ends, with Langmuir winner.

At 7.30 Gibson played Wright and Dial played McLeod (Youngstown) in the Citizens-Gibson and McLeod being the winners.

Two more draws will be played to-night: Stewart vs. Langmuir (Challenge) Marshall vs. Bishop, Miller vs. Cook and Wade vs. Whitlock (Citizens).

Pool Makes First Interim Payment

Under date of March 1st, distribution was made of First Interim Payment on deliveries to 1928 Pool amounting to 12c per bushel on practically all grades, except No. 6 where the amount was 10c per bushel. In Alberta this distribution to Pool members aggregated approximately \$6,500,000.

In setting this payment a number of features must be taken into consideration by the Central Selling Agency. Since the first year's operation of the Pool it has been the policy to make the First Interim Payments sufficiently conservative to permit the Selling Agency to continue a selling policy that in their opinion may procure ultimately the highest returns to

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Spring Goods

We have just returned from the Calgary Exposition, where were shown the latest Spring Creations in Ready-to-wear. We were able to make a good selection and now each day our stock is arriving and is open for your inspection. You are invited to call and see the newest goods. Carefully selected styles and moderately priced.

Spring Coats

In plain Navy blue, also many colors of Fancy Tweeds, all the latest spring styles priced from \$11.50 to 25.00
Satin finished shower proof coats in many new shades. Blue, Wine, Rust, and Green. priced from \$6.75 to 18.50
New Canton Silk Dresses, good colors and styles Special 9.75
Emery Gowns in Georgette, Crepes, Lace trimmed Special 12.50

Furnishings For Men

The newest in Felt Hats, Blinnor \$5.00 to 6.50
Men's Caps in new patterns and colors 1.75 to 3.50
Forsyth Dress Shirts in the new spring styles. Failless colors. .75 to 5.00
For the particular man Slater Shirts

S. A. MILLER

Operating the Child's Saving Plan

Oyen Theatre

Friday-Saturday

(March 8-9)

Richard Dix

—in—

'Warming Up'

One of your favorites in a show you will thoroughly enjoy.

They're on their way!

THE NEW 1929 MODEL
CASE TRACTORS

which should have been here last week. We have been assured, however, of direct shipment at an early date, which will be announced in our advertisement.

Watch for their Arrival

The word "CASE" has ever stood for outstanding performance and value—and the policy of progressive development of this world famous organization brings you this new model, which will positively surprise you.

Also E.E. power Seed Drills—Tractor Discs—Tractor Cultivators and the famous Grand Detour Plows.

E. D. Thygesen



Oyen, Alberta

INTERIM POOL PAYMENT ON THE 1928 CROP

Winnipeg.—An interim payment on the 1928 crop totaling more than \$25,000,000 is being distributed to Wheat Pool members of Western Canada, according to a statement by E. B. Ramsey, general manager of the Canadian Wheat Pool.

The payment is 12 cents per bushel on wheat grades one to five, and on flax and rye. Ten cents per bushel is being paid on number six wheat. Manitoba Pool members are receiving the sum of \$2,258,455.46 on deliveries of 18,408,000 bushels of wheat, and 707,760 bushels of flax and rye.

Members in Saskatchewan are receiving \$17,409,433.34 on 146,414,000 bushels of wheat, and 3,165,500 bushels of flax and rye.

The Alberta Pool payment of \$6,410,035.12 is on 50,500,000 bushels of wheat. The total amount distributed is \$25,198,923.32.

The first payment at this time is the first payment to be made on grain of the 1928 crop following the initial payment made at the time of delivery by the grower. In 1928 the first interim payment was made on March 9, but pool officials state that the date of the payment was made on this year as much as possible in order to accommodate the thousands of pool members who have been hard financially as a result of the very disastrous year which occurred on August 25, 1928, and which was general over the three provinces.

The Saskatchewan crop was particularly damaged by this frost owing to the fact that there are so few acres in the province which were not affected to the extent of lowering the grade of the crop from two to four grades.

Commenting on the aspect of the 1928 crop, and on the payment now being made, A. J. McNeil, president of the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool, said:

"Notwithstanding the relatively higher price for wheat which prevails now as compared with the heavy crop season of 1923-24 when the Alberta Pool alone was operating in Western Canada and notwithstanding the exceptionally heavy crop harvested by Saskatchewan in 1928, the 1928 crop is the best of the wheat crop has just come to be greatly troubled over the financial returns from his efforts last year. By way of comparison it may be said that for the period from August 1, 1927, to January 31, 1928, the grading of Saskatchewan Pool deliveries from the 1927 crop showed only 22.3 per cent. as falling into the grades from No. 4 to feed, while the corresponding figures from the crop of 1928 is 55.31 per cent. This is a really increased percentage of lower grades from the 1928 crop is the widespread frost which occurred in August, 1928."

Appointed To Turf Board

Ottawa.—Hon. James Robt, minister of finance, announced the appointment of Frank S. Jacobs, D.S.A., of Devonville, Alta., to the vacancy on the advisory board. Mr. Jacobs is a farmer, and succeeded Hon. D. G. McKenzie, who resigned to enter the provincial government of Manitoba.

For Educational Purposes

Brandon, Man.—That the Manitoba government set aside one-eighth of all the natural resources (the game) under provincial control for educational purposes will be urged as a result of a resolution passed unanimously by the annual convention of the Manitoba School Trustees Association.

Cheer Town Jail

Danville, Ill.—With the office of chief of police abolished as unnecessary and the lock-up abandoned as a fire-trap, this town of 6,000 inhabitants is now depending on an honor system. Any arrested person faces the prospect of lodging in the village hotel at his own expense.

Has Mind Effort

Ottawa.—Amendments to the Opium and Narcotic Drug Act, to provide for the deportation of alien carriers of traffic have had salutary effect. Convictions have dropped from 1,349 in 1922, to 343 last year.

Grant Hall Received By Pope

Rome.—Pope Pius granted an audience to Grant Hall, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, who is visiting in Rome.

Britain Will Adhere To Locarno Treaty

Has Not Considered Any Other Agreement With Foreign Powers

London, Eng.—Secretary Locarno, under-secretary of state for foreign affairs, assured the House of Commons that Great Britain would enter into no military agreement with other powers that would in any way be contrary to her obligations to Germany under the Locarno treaty.

He made this statement in answering one of the many questions propounded as a result of recent publication in Holland, of an alleged military pact between France and Belgium, the particular question being: "Can assurance be given that no military discussion will be held with France or Belgium which would not include Germany, in order strictly to maintain British obligations under the Locarno pact?"

The reply was: "The member may be quite sure that we will do nothing contrary to the Locarno pact."

Alleged questions regarding the Franco-Belgian military agreement, and reports that Great Britain had some connection with it, were first made to the government in the House. Godfrey Locker-Lampson made categorical denial of the rumors, saying:

"Apart from the treaty of Locarno no agreement involving a military commitment has been concluded since the war between this government and Belgium. In any military agreement or understanding in existence between the British government and that of any foreign country."

Purchase New Plane

Universal Airways, Limited, Order Another Machine For Use In Saskatchewan

Ottawa.—Speeding up their plans with the opening up of the weather, officials of the Universal Airways Ltd., ordered for immediate delivery of a new cabin airplane for use in their proposed express and express service in Saskatchewan.

The new machine will be capable of carrying passengers or 500 pounds of freight. It will have a cruising radius of 550 miles and will travel at a speed of 135 miles per hour when loaded. It will have a top speed of 150 miles an hour.

Company officials announced that it is proposed to order another machine within the next six or eight weeks. This machine would be the third of its kind purchased.

No Divorce Court For Ontario

Ottawa.—Defeat in the House of Commons of the bill to establish a divorce court in Ontario, has put the lines badly broken on the division. Introduced as a private member's measure by J. C. W. Woodhouse (Lib.), in the House (North Centre), the bill was defeated by 99 to 68. Premier Mackenzie King and Hon. Guthrie, Ontario's conservative leader, were not present for the division.

Died In Geneva

New York.—Frederick M. Harris, editor-in-chief of the publications of the Young Men's Christian Association, died in Geneva where he had gone last October for medical treatment, according to word received here by his associates.

Westminster Glee Singers

Famous Organization Making Tour Of Western Canada

Ottawa.—Outstanding among the musical events of the present winter, is the visit of the Westminster Glee Singers, who are touring the provinces of Western Canada. The excellence of this traditional group of singers is known throughout the Empire, and music lovers of the Canadian West are greeting with delight the appearance of these famous entertainers, seven of whom are boys continuing the tradition of the Westminster Glee Singers. The program includes a charming arrangement of madrigals, plantation songs, folk songs, sailor choruses and sacred selections. Following is the balance of the itinerary arranged for them in Western Canada.

Prince Albert, March 5 and 6; North Battleford, March 12 and 13; Vermilion, March 15; Vegreville, March 16; Medicine Hat, March 18; Ponoka, March 19; Red Deer, March 20; Edmonton, March 22, 23, 24; Calgary, March 25, 26, 27; Lethbridge, March 28, 29, 30; Medicine Hat, April 1 and 2; Macleod, April 3; Coleman, April 5; Pelly, April 6; Cranbrook, April 13; Kamloops, April 15; Vernon, April 15; Kelowna, April 16; Vernon, April 17; Kamloops, April 18; Chilliwack, April 19; Vancouver week commencing April 22.

Application Is Dropped

Canadian Northeastern Not Building Railway Into Peace River Country

Victoria, B.C.—The Canadian Northeastern railway dropped its application for right to build into the Peace River country and will not conflict with any plans which may be made in that direction for the Pacific Great Eastern, the provincially-owned line. With its part of its original application dropped, approval of the private bills committee of the legislature was given to the company's request for right to build a line for 255 miles from Stewart, a pioneer port in northern British Columbia, to Port Graham, in the central northern part of the province.

The Northeastern also dropped its request for right to build a branch up the Finlay river from Port Graham for 100 miles, pending decision of the future of the government line.

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PREMIER KING ON THE QUESTION OF RESOURCES

Ottawa.—The whole vexed question of the return of natural resources to the western provinces was ventilated in the House of Commons today. In a lengthy speech, Premier Mackenzie King reviewed the history of the natural resources problem and outlined the policy today.

In brief, the situation at present, as dealt with by the prime minister, is as follows:

The province of Alberta is now considering an offer from the Dominion government of the return of its natural resources coupled with the payment to it of a subsidy amounting to \$500,000 annually for all time.

Saskatchewan has refused an offer of the return of its lands "without any strings attached," and the payment of the present subsidy.

Agreement has been reached to transfer to British Columbia lands in the Peace River basin and the railway belt. At present officers of the department are working on the necessary accounting having to do with the transfer.

With respect to Manitoba, a commission is now engaged on matters concerning the handling over of that province of its lawful resources.

The Prime Minister made only passing reference to the Seven Sisters Falls lease to the Winnipeg Electric Company. The leader of the opposition had been critical of the name which Mr. Bennett claimed prompted the government in its return of the natural resources to Manitoba.

Earlier in the session, the Premier continued, the same gentleman had been critical of the government in its delay in dealing with this matter. Mr. King remarked, amid laughter, "The reason of the haste was to avoid delay."

Radio Operator Has Travel Record



Trained operators in charge of radio-equipped cars in daily service on the Canadian National Railways travelled a total of 6,314,726 miles during 1928, and the most travelled operator during the twelve months was R. K. Anderson, who may well claim to a world's record for his performance. Anderson covered 15,000 miles on duty, a distance which represents the circumnavigation of the globe several times. This operator is usually on duty on board the International Limited, the fast daily train operating between Montreal and Chicago. Trains equipped with radio on the National system first in the world to offer radio as part of the service provided for passengers.

The illustration shows Mr. Anderson seated at the receiving apparatus in a library, conspicuous, observation car.

RECEIVES NEW APPOINTMENT

Col. Lindberg and His Platoon, Miss Morrow, Met With Mishap

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Dynamite Plot Failed

Explosive Is Found In Office Of Premier Tacheeran

Quebec.—Questioned as to a rumor that an attempt had been made to blow up the parliament buildings at 10.45 p.m. he found a stick of dynamite on the floor with a half-burned fuse attached. The fuse had been extinguished by some agent after burning a few inches.

Premier Tacheeran had been attending a committee meeting in the floor. Switching on the lights at once he noticed the dynamite lying on the floor.

Premier Tacheeran had the explosive removed by police and it was found to be a stick of dynamite of the most powerful type.

Employment Situation Shows Improvement

Better In Canada Than In Any February On Record

Ottawa.—Employment in Canada on February 1, was in better condition on that date in any year on record, according to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. Reports from 6,391 firms showed a total of 538,765 employed as compared with 521,041 on January 1.

The contraction on the prairie provinces was less than on February 1, 1928. The situation continued somewhat better than on the same date in any year on record. Manufacturing and logging, however, while there was a shrinkage in trade, construction, transportation and communications.

The situation was also better in British Columbia as compared with the same date last year. There was substantial improvement in mining, logging, manufacturing and transportation was slacker.

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PRIORITY RIGHTS ARE CLAIMED BY TWO COMPANIES

Ottawa.—The bone of contention between the Canadian National Railways and the Canadian Pacific Railway, with regard to the branch line program, came up before the parliamentary committee on railways and canals. Except for one case, an agreement has been reached between the two companies in connection with their program. The single exception is the line projected between Melfort and Aberdeen, in Saskatchewan, to which both companies claim priority construction rights.

Sir Henry Thornton, president of the National Systems, told the committee that the Government owned the line in the territory of the fact that 12 years ago, the old Canadian Northern had already started building there and had already graded 19 miles of the 67 mile project. Four years ago, this line had been one which had been presented to the Government's program, but with others it had been rejected by the Senate. He felt that the railway had been in the line of its good faith in proposing to carry on with the construction.

Commenting on a protest by A. F. Fetzke, of Humboldt, Sir Henry declared that the C.N.R. did not claim any part of Canada as exclusively the province of the C.N.R. and that reasonably and as a matter of common sense, that particular line, upon which work had already begun should be built as a branch line, the scope of C.N.R. construction.

E. P. Flintoff, K.C., counsel for the Canadian Pacific Railway, declared that last year, his company had carried on surveys, upon the representations of the inhabitants of this district, and on their declarations that the C.N.R. did not contemplate building a line there. He felt that the railway had been in the line of its good faith in proposing to carry on with the construction.

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German Aerial Expedition Will Again Attempt Conquest Of the Arctic This Spring

The conquest of the Arctic will again be attempted this spring, plans for a circuit of the Arctic region by the German airship LZ-127 have been revealed by Capt. W. Bruns, a German member of the "Aero-Arctic" an international expedition organization, who visited officials of the Interior Department seeking co-operation.

The expedition will be undertaken within the next few months, when the sun in the far north will shine 24 hours a day and the expansion of the gas in the airship will be optimized.

The airship is being lent by the German government, while the Russian government, by erecting a mooring mast at Leningrad, is giving assistance.

An effort will be made to map certain regions in the north. Observations will be made of sea depths and weather conditions.

The "Aero Arctic" foresees the possibility of regular air routes being established between points in the Arctic circle. Another suggested is Yokohama and Vancouver, by way of the Alaskan coast.

The airship will start from Leningrad, thence to Kolan, on the Murmansk coast, to Franz Joseph Land, across the Canadian sector to Uman, Alaska, where it will be re-provisioned, thence to Wrangell Island finally to the Polar bear.

Officials of the Interior Department are considering the possibility of sending a Canadian scientist on the expedition.

School Attendance

2,391,720 Students Are Enrolled In Educational Institutions Of Canada

The number of students enrolled in the educational institutions of Canada was, according to the latest survey, 2,391,720. These included 2,027,729 in ordinary public schools of primary and secondary grades, and evening schools, most of them under public control; 7,498 in private or independent schools; 12,596 in universities and colleges; 2,495 in preparatory courses, or schools affiliated to universities; and 2,391 in addition to those in private schools. The remainder were in business colleges, normal schools and other scholastic institutions.

The educational standing of the personnel was 1,922,962 in elementary grades, and 300,149 in secondary or higher grades. These do not include the greater part of night school pupils.

The expenditure on public education during the year 1926-27 is given as \$153,576,375.

Fox Ranching Problems

Fox raisers and particularly beginners would do well to secure from the Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture, at Ottawa, a copy of the first report of the Experimental Fox Ranch, which has been operated in Prince Edward Island during the past three years. The ranch as described in the report is a model that might safely be followed.

Problems of exercising, feeding, treatment for parasites and health are dealt with in a helpful way.

Cable Used During War

The post office cable from Peterhead to Huns, which was of great service during the war, has been dismantled. At one time a staff of forty-five was employed in handling messages at the Peterhead end of the cable, but this number gradually dwindled as the service fell into disuse.

Making a fool of a man is one job woman can best nature at.

"Eugene, shall we buy a wireless set with a loud speaker?"
"Are you mad? Haven't you your mother with us?"—McQuike, Charler.

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Cash Bonus For Farmers

Large Sum Is Distributed By Saskatchewan Wheat Pool Elevators, Ltd.

Cheques to the total amount of \$1,400,000 were recently distributed to members of the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool Elevators, Ltd., all of whom are farmers. These cheques represented the surplus earnings of the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool Elevator system for the crop year 1927-28. At the annual meeting of Saskatchewan Wheat Pool delegates held in Regina last November, it was decided that these be distributed to the members in cash. The payment is being made on the basis of 1½ cents per bushel for grain delivered through Pool country elevators and one cent per bushel for grain delivered to Pool terminals over the platform.

This is the third payment in cash covering the excess charges refund which has been made to Pool members. The amount of the surplus earnings of Saskatchewan Wheat Pool Elevators Limited during 1925-26 was returned to growers in February, 1927, amounting to \$1,575,000. The figure jumped to \$1,372,000 for 1926-27, and for 1927-28 to \$1,430,791.96, the amount recently distributed.

Money Needed For

Montreal Harbor

Estimated That I.R. Line May Carry 100,000 Tons To Harbor At Port

A bill to authorize a loan of \$100,000 to the harbor commissioners of Montreal for extension of harbor facilities received first reading in the House of Commons. Hon. P. J. A. Carlin, minister of marine and fisheries, explained the money was not a gift, but was a loan.

Hon. R. B. Bennett, Conservative leader, drew attention to the possibility of a curtailment of business at Montreal on account of the construction of the Hudson Bay railway. The proposed extension the line to Winnipeg indicated that some of the business would hereafter go in that direction. Mr. Bennett stated that further discussion would be had on second reading.

January Immigration Figures

Return Movement To Canada From United States Is Noted

Immigration Canada during January announced a 4,164, an increase of 13 per cent over January of the previous year. The number of the month increased from 771 to 1,153, immigration from the United States increased from 1,229 to 1,972. Immigration from other countries decreased from 1,688 to 1,458.

The return movement to the Dominion of Canadians who had gone to the United States intending to live there and who came back declaring their intention of remaining permanently in Canada, amounted during January to 1,767. These are not included in the immigration returns.

At the next World's Postal Congress, to be held at the Crystal Palace, London, England, in July 1930, it is anticipated that Canada will exhibit about 1,000 live birds in addition the Dominion will have an educational exhibit.

The cost of the World War has been paid by a League of Nations committee of \$362,500,000,000 (\$72,500,000,000).

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Alberta School System

Total School Enrollment Is Given As 160,000

Alberta's total school enrollment is approximately 160,000.

A greater percentage of increase occurred last year in high school than in public school enrollment. The per capita cost of education for all schools in the province has remained practically stationary.

The foregoing information is contained in the annual report of the department of education, tabled in the legislature by Hon. Perren Baker, minister of education.

While the total enrollment in the schools of the province increased by 4,709 in 1928, approximately 37 per cent this number is to be found in the high schools. In 1906 the percentage of the entire enrolment in the high school grades was 2.41 in comparison with 11.44.

During the year 66 new school districts were organized. Of these 33 are made of township and 10 north of township 70. The total number of districts in the province now stands 3,497. There are, however, 1,414 districts in regular operation. Eighty-one new one-room schools were built and 13 new two-room schools.

There has been an increased demand for technical education throughout the province.

More than 1,600 more pupils wrote on the departmental examination than ever before. In the high school grades 75.9 per cent of all the units written were passed successfully. Making an average of 75 per cent or more on all units required for matriculation or normal entrance 149 pupils obtained honors.

New text books in agriculture for both elementary and secondary schools were introduced during the year. A new system of writing manuals. The latter were prepared to accompany the Alberta curriculum.

Approximately \$150,000 worth of business was done in the school books in 1928. The business of the school business was done with firms located in Canada. The remaining six per cent went to British and American firms.

Sea Power Is Essential

Great Britain Could Not Definitively Renounce Its Use

Unquestionably Great Britain, to reach friendly accord with the United States, would be prepared to go a long way in renouncing the use of naval power under certain conditions. It is absurd, however, to suggest, as the United States senate has officially suggested, that Great Britain and other maritime powers must renounce the use of sea power under any and all possible conditions. It is no reflection on the good faith of the United States to say that in time of war not even the American navy would be used in accordance with the terms of any such treaty.

John Decided It

The wife of a famous English Bishop—when we shall call John Smith—has been very ill, and needs a serious operation. As she recovered from the anesthetic, she was heard to murmur: "Am I in Heaven? Am I in Heaven?" No, there's John.

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His Reminder

A KC striding along a street one morning, came to a fisherman's shop. He was fascinated by the dead, expressive eyes of the fish on a slab in the window.

"Good lord, that reminds me," he said hurriedly away. "I've got to address a special jury this afternoon."

A British scientist predicts that in time to come men will be born toothless. We thought, in our ignorance, that they usually were born that way.

No doubt there are lingo lexicographers who know the exact shades of differences between heilo, hokum, blah, baloney, appeasance and humbug.

Blanks (waiting with friend): "Was your wife over on time?" "Hello—Well, once she sat on my watch."

Close Kinship Between Life Of Plants and Animals Is Borne Out By Interesting Experiments

Aimons Are Modest

Fame and Notoriety Do Not Seem To Affect Them

Aimons of the first rank are shy little creatures, that modest, unassuming, and it is possibly quite true that none has ever boasted of his feats in the war or of his exploits in flying. Devils have made them known, but it is not they who grub over them. Fame, and more at a writer of notoriety, has been thrust upon them; but from it they have emerged as they do from the clouds, unruined, unaffected, reserved.

They may have flown, from Dublin to London, as three did, from Dublin to London, and be captured in situations that would turn the heads of lesser kings. But when the noise and clamor of the glory they best know came so close to catastrophe, has gone down in the records of aeronomics, those flicks, like the host of their comrades in flight doing their jobs of work, retire into unostentatious privacy. Their modesty is everyman's motto; and in a few minutes, in a year, are difficult to recall; and they might not be remembered later had not one of the fumes, Baron von Huenefeldt, at Berlin, with regrettable untimeliness, taken off on his flight in 1927.

It was as a passenger that Von Huenefeldt joined in the north Atlantic flight, which he had made possible by expending on it all he possessed; but he was a pilot when he died, and in the last few months had flown a remarkable flight from Germany to Japan. He had joined the army who fly. Among combatants, they are apart; among civilians, they are alone. In a word, they are the class of exemplars in honor. It is the same for all nations, high as the spirit of aimons fly. They will weathering laurels for Von Huenefeldt. He would not ask more for the record that has taken him to Japan, he borne to the aerodrome at which all aimons must land in time, as many as early.

Air Mail For The West

Understood That Post Office Department Will Resume Winnipeg-Montreal Service

While there is good reason to believe that the cabinet greatly reduced the amount of money sought by the air-mail service, the extension of air mail service to the Dominion, it is understood that it is the intention of the department to proceed with the Winnipeg-Chicago service as soon as the estimates are approved by parliament.

The total amount of the increase sought by the department for air mail services is said to have exceeded \$1,000,000 and this was reduced by the sub-committee of the cabinet which reviews the estimates before their presentation to parliament to about \$500,000. The reduction was the post office officials to exercise the greatest care in preparing their plans and in negotiating air mail contracts with private airway companies.

The cost of the Winnipeg-Chicago service was estimated at between \$450,000 and \$500,000, but the department is committed in other directions in regard to air mail services and as it now stands not more than \$400,000 of this amount will be available for this service across the prairies. Notwithstanding this unfavorable situation, however, the officials will proceed with plans and make every effort to arrange the matter that a service will be begun probably next autumn.

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Could Not Hold It

The "station-master" rushed out of his room after hearing a crash on the platform. He discerned a disheveled young man sprawled out perfectly flat among a confusion of overturned milk cans and the scattered contents of his traveling bag.

"Was he trying to catch the train?" the station-master asked the porter who stood by admiring the scene.

"No, did catch it," said the boy, "but it got away again."

"The Geographical society says explorers should be backslaps."

"What would they keep them abroad?"

Paul: "I understand Chicago has adopted a flower as a civic emblem." Simpson: "Yes? What is it?" Paul: "Crocus."

"I am a commercial traveller in insect powder."

That is very nice, but here we crush them and eat them!—Pages Gales, Yverdon.

Unearthed Evidence Of Mighty Battle

Last Stand Of Prehistoric Giant Aquatic Buffalo Found In Africa

Marking back into primordial existence on the Dark Continent, road makers working in a quarry at Springfield, Kansas, north of Pretoria, South Africa, unearthed evidence of a mighty battle in the dim past between an extinct species of giant buffalo and a powerful, giant-like primitive man. Indications from the shattered bones of man and beast which were found lying close together in the same stratum were that the man had been trampled to death by the buffalo in some remote age.

Most of the man's skull, a fragment of the lower jaw and parts of the hands have been recovered. The buffalo's remains also indicate that he died a swift and violent death, probably due to injuries inflicted on him by the man. The Johannesburg Museum director believes that the hunter and the hunted died almost simultaneously.

The man is officially described as "a powerful, large-bodied man not closely related to any of the Negro races." The size of the buffalo, as estimated by measuring between the tips of the horns, must have been about 12 feet high at the shoulders and of the largest known American species.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Vancouver, B.C., is under serious consideration as the site for the next \$50,000 Wrigley marathon swim. Elwood Hughes, director of the event has announced.

The Daily Mail, London, Eng., says the Czechoslovakian minister of the interior has refused Leon Trotsky a passport visa to permit him to enter that country.

Reports from apparently well-informed quarters in Canton, said the Canton government expects the Nationalist government at Nanking soon to launch a military campaign against it.

The addition of the tax to penalties for trafficking in drugs was approved by the special committee of the House of Commons, which is considering amendments to the Opium and Narcotic Drugs Act.

Approximately 35,000 bushels of seed have been graded and sealed under registered grades since the Dominion seed branch of the Department of Agriculture started operations in Saskatchewan at the beginning of the year.

"The recommendations of the Imperial wireless and cable conference, 1928, have been in general accepted by the governments concerned, including the government of Canada," Hon. P. J. Vesel, postmaster-general, stated in the House of Commons.

The Toronto city council has authorized the board of control to call for designs for a memorial to Sir Adam Beck. The memorial is not to cost more than \$25,000, and its main feature is to be a bronze statue of Sir Adam. The monument will be erected on University Avenue, Toronto.

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Vancouver, Ont.—"I think Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is wonderful. I have had six children of which four are living and my youngest is a bonnie little girl eight months old who weighs 23 pounds. I have taken your medicine before each of them was born and ever since I have received great benefit from it. I urge my friends to use it as I am sure they will receive the same help I did."—Mrs. Milroy McCreary, Vancouver, Canada.

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Britain's Wheat Market Valuable To Canada

Interesting Facts Brought Out In Report Published From Ottawa

The market in Great Britain is worth twice as much to the Canadian wheat grower as the markets of all the rest of the world taken together. That is a fact that stands out in a report published from Ottawa giving the export figures for the present crop year up to date. Putting it another way, if all other countries barred our wheat by excluding tariffs, the Canadian farmer could still find a market for two-thirds the amount of wheat he now produces in Great Britain. Or, if Britain barred our wheat, we would have to find buyers elsewhere for three times the amount of wheat we are able to sell in other countries at present.

Canadian wheat—and every other Canadian product—has preference in Great Britain. The proof is that no other importing country in Europe admits our wheat on the most favorable terms. Should Britain ever adopt a tariff, there is no doubt whatever that Canadian wheat would be admitted on the most favorable conditions granted to any wheat-growing country. A tariff is being actively proposed in Great Britain that a financial preference could be given to Canadian wheat. The British market is the permanent outlet for Canada's surplus wheat crop, because the largest outlet there is, and the largest there is likely to be. That is a fact which Canadians ought to keep in mind when they think of international trade—and when they are thinking of buying imported goods.—Edmonton Bulletin.

Heart Trouble Hands and Feet Numb and Cold

Mrs. Wm. Fowler, Auburn, Ont., writes:—Seven years ago I was troubled with my heart and nerves, and at times, my hands would become numb and cold. I took doctor's medicine, for a while, but it did me little or no good. I happened to see

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advertised and started taking them at once. I was cured in a short time and since then I have had no return of my trouble."

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Drigible Flight Delayed

Giant British Craft Not Making Trip To Canada Until July

The flight of the dirigible R-100 from England to Canada will probably be made towards the end of July. It was learned at the department of national defence, it had been set for the end of May, but technical improvements to the craft are being made which will necessitate delay.

Officials of the department regard the flight as one of the most important steps in inter-imperial communication so far attempted. Possibility of a route to Australia across Canada is not considered beyond the bounds of possibility.

Asthma Victims. The man of woman subject to asthma is most a victim. What can be more terrifying than to suddenly be seized with paroxysms of choking which seem to fairly threaten the existence of life itself. From such a condition Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has brought many completely restored health and happiness. It is known and prized in every section of this broad land.

What "It" Is

Perhaps this can be applied generally to all husbands, but a woman in the Wilkeson police court recently defined the word "it" as used by a famous woman novelist. The clerk pointed to a man in court and said "It is that your husband," she replied "Yes, sir, that's it."

A philosopher is a man who never feels badly after he has made an ass of himself.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

MARCH 10

BAPTISM AND THE LORD'S SUPPER

Golden Text: "This do in remembrance of Me"—1 Corinthians 11:24. Lesson: Matthew 2:13-17; 28:19; 20: Acts 2:38, 41; Romans 6:13-14; 1 Corinthians 10:16, 17. Devotional Reading: Revelation 7: 9-17.

Explanations and Comments

Christ's Commission To Baptize All the Nations. Matthew 28:19. Jesus told them of His universal dominion. "All authority has been given me in heaven and on earth," and gave them His worldwide commission to make Him known: a reality: "Go ye therefore, and make disciples of all nations."

"Remember, fellow Christians, how wide was the horizon of Jesus' horizon, widens from cradle to home, school, city, country, and, with some, perhaps, to the ends of the earth. Jesus the outside rim of the earth was the first horizon that He saw, and the last. When He was born, good men and women, who were the Jews? 'Unto all people,' among all people," throughout the whole world, every creature, to the uttermost part of the earth: are there any who do not know the world is his limitless command, his boundless expectation?"—Maltbie D. Babcock.

Jesus directed His followers to baptize into the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all things whatsoever He commanded them. "Baptism is (1) into the name of the Father, as our Creator, Preserver, and Redeemer, who creates us as free agents; (2) into the name of the Son; (3) into the name of the Holy Spirit. We give thanks to His glorious Father, our Redeemer, Teacher, Guide and Comforter."

And then Jesus gave His wonderful words of comfort and encouragement and cheer: "Lo, I am with you always" (not to be, but am), "even unto the end of the world." "Our responsibility for missionary work is rooted in the command of Christ; our power for that work is rooted in this great promise of Christ."

Success and Happiness

People Do Not Fail Entirely Who Never Heavard Good

Mr. Edison, on his eight-second birthday, told a number of assembled newspapermen that he was not acquainted with anyone who was happy. There is no reason to suppose that Mr. Edison was jesting, and it would be an impertinence to suggest that he does not know his own mind. But if by "happiness" he means what tens of thousands of his fellow men mean—the satisfaction of having tried hard and won—Mr. Edison is clearly stretching a point, since in that case he himself should be one of the happiest of men. He has gone from victory to victory in the world of scientific invention and he will leave an undying name behind him. In some few things he may not, in his own opinion, have succeeded; but this is not to say that he failed. You do not fail by failing because you do not wholly succeed; and Thomas A. Edison has been a very notable success.

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Want Rail Deal Approved

Agreement Between Railways and Province Of Alberta Up For Ratification

Approval of the agreement between the C.N.R., the C.P.R. and the Province of Alberta, for the purchase of the undertakings of the Edmonton, Dunvegan and British Columbia railways; the Central Canada Railway Company; the Central Canada Express Company; the Alberta Great Waterways Company, is sought in a resolution placed on the order paper of the House of Commons by Hon. C. A. Dunning, Minister of Railways and Canals.

The resolution seeks further authority:

"To incorporate the Northern Alberta Railways Company, in which are to be vested the principal and interest of the securities to be issued by the Canadian National Railway Company, to an amount or amounts fixed from time to time by the Governor-in-Council for the payment of one-half the purchase, and one-half of the obligations assumed under the said agreement."

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"They don't usually, but the salesman is a neighbor of mine."

Mother (giving alternate instructions): "Now, remember, Willie, when these cakes are baked round you must take a plain bun from the bottom of the plait bin."

Willie (disgustedly): "Just my luck! The bargain basement again!"

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CHAPTER XV.—Continued

For a moment Connie was silent. When—when my dreams come true," she responded with an embarrassed smile.

Then he told her of the city and its ways and the things people did, she listened, not with amazement, but with a contented smile, as though what he told her was confirmation of her dreams. But when he told her of the grand opera, the music, the costumes and the singing, her grey eyes wide with longing, she sighed deeply.

Dona's voice trailed to a drowsy close; his chest rose and fell regularly, his features relaxed. He lay as though he were floating, exquisitely floating, on a sea of fleecy clouds that was bearing him softly away. A delicious languor entered him, an enchantment drowsy and dim. He felt himself drifting, drifting. . . . It was asleep.

At the lower end of the meadow were pushed cautiously aside, and Hand's head appeared in the opening. For two days he had lain hidden awaiting an opportunity to waylay Dona. The day after the fight he had boarded the train for the coast, but had slipped from the car at the station below.

His face—unexpressing at first, then now a horrible sight. His thick lips were swollen and cracked, the eyes discoloured and puffed, and the broken teeth bared in a snarl as he saw Dona lying by the stream. Every hour since the fight Hand's hatred for Dona had grown blacker. He would show her that, Old Hand, deserved his reputation as a fighter. He would beat this crippled man helpless while he showed her on his unprotected face, how made him cry out for mercy on broken knees; perhaps kill him. His hatred grew hotter still deeper as he watched him lying peacefully beside the girl who had been the cause of the fight in which he had been ignominiously whipped.

Connie sat gazing down on the sleeper. A sudden thought seized her, bringing a warm thrill deeper as she thought. Why not? No one would ever know. Would she dare? She glanced timidly about her, then leaned slowly over, her curls falling about her face, and touched her soft lips to Dona's cheek.

A blushed secret derisively Connie came to her feet, her face crimson. Donald stirred, opened his eyes, and painfully raised himself. "I'm sorry, Connie," he apologized. "It was very rude of me to go to sleep."

A moment later he walked down the hill. Connie accompanied him a short distance, then turned up a steep path, and from a high, rocky ledge she watched him retreating figures as he turned toward the river.

A huge bucket on a cable, that had been used during construction for carrying men and material, was now the roaring chain below the fruit still hung above the boiling waters.

Donald there was a shiver of thrill, a keen exhilaration, in answering in mid-air in this crude conveyance. He stepped into the bucket, and with his one good arm pulled it along the rusty cable.

The Breed, hidden near the trail near Hand as he walked toward the dam. The venomous look in his eyes gave place to one of strained interest as he saw the two men skulking menacingly after the unsuspecting man. With a feeling of malignant exultation, as he sensed disaster to the man he hated, he hobbled to the trail and furiously glared.

From the heights above Connie saw the sneaking figures as they crouched low against the edge of the dark spruces and alders, divided their murderous object. For as instant she was paralyzed with terror. Her lips refused to move and her limbs grew numb.

The men moved cautiously as they approached their intended victim, fearing that he might be armed. As Hand saw Donald suspended over the river a look of furtive elation crossed his features. Here was a chance to dispose of his enemy with no trace of the crime. He tore a fire-axe from the wall of the tool house, and crept to the edge of the cliff.

"Joe! Joe! Stop them. Stop them!" Screaming again, she plunged straight down the hillside in a vain race to reach the scene of action. Donald, like a deer, stumbling and falling, her breath coming in short gasps, ran wildly on. Snarls of rage, the crash of a chair, the devil's club lacerated her face as she fell, but she felt no pain. "O God," she prayed aloud, "help me to save him! Help me save him!"

Donald's face blanched at the sound of the axe as it bit into the heavy cable. He looked down at the coast, but had slipped from the car at the station below.

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at the prostrate body, turned and fed terror-stricken to the woods. Hand hesitated for a moment, then followed heavily after him.

At this moment, Connie, with clothes torn and hair dishevelled, broke from the woods, and with a cry of pity flung herself to the ground by the Breed's side and placed his head on her lap. The eyes of the wounded man flicked slowly open. He tried to speak, but a strong convulsion shook his frame from head to foot, and he writhed in desperate agony.

Connie's face as she lifted it to Donald was drawn with grief. "Get me some warm place," she said brokenly.

The dying man's lips moved. Connie leaned closer.

"I—I—love you," he whispered faintly, "I—saved him—for you." A ghastly pallor spread over his features and his lips were widely parted in a struggle for breath. Again his lips moved in a fluttering whisper. "Connie—will—you—kill me?"

As Connie pressed her tear-laden lips to his pain-contorted features released in a smile of wonderful peace and his eyes closed. When Donald returned Connie's hand was moved and she was weeping softly.

"How is he, Connie?" he questioned gently.

"He's dead." Donald removed his hat and knelt with bowed head. "He died for me," he choked. "And for me," she whispered inaudibly.

CHAPTER XVI.

Last we left of memory, Nature gives us a change of colour for each of the flowering seasons. Flowers of every hue may be found through the different months. Pink may last for June, blue and pink for July, and during August royal robes of gold and purple clothe the hills and valleys.

The last week of August brought to Summit Lake a pageantry of colour that was rarely seen. The clouds, drawing the life-giving fluid from the leaves to store it in their roots until spring. The willow, vine, maple, birch and alder along the creek and lake-shore held tresses of autumnal colouring; while on the hills the yellowed leaves, of chestnut, maple and birch, were brilliant in their setting of sober dark green foliage.

A gaudy red were the vine maples, but there was a leafy beauty greater than theirs. The flowering dogwood bloomed from every nook and cranny. The ripening of the dogwood gave to its leaves a flame that burns with a glow that the goldenrod and the ripening deepens until its crimson flush becomes the loveliest hue of British Columbia woods.

The forest, or rather herb, that in July gives to the open spaces a gorgeous tint of bluey pink, were now losing a flock of seeds to float away like dandelion seeds. A small lot of fluff held a minute grain of seed that would build a plant as large as its parent, when dropped by the friendly wind, to reach a fertile spot. The stately cottonwood were sending out a life-fluff as tiny as that from the dandelion. The plants, cat-tails and asters hurried to join the silken clouds until the air was misty with these germ balloons, seeking their winter's rest. The red elderberry and its magenta neighbour, the thimble berry, with its translucent Scotch cap, gave to the woods a material flame.

A curious timidity had come over the birds; not only were they quiet but they were no longer to be found in their usual haunts. In some retired spots they were moulted. While the weather was at its best, and food was the most plentiful, they were dressing themselves in a new set of feathers for their long flight to the south. The tops of the tall grass were filled with sweet titterings of flutterings out and in, wing trails and quick shimmings of the feet. The birds had gathered for the migration. They would not leave for some time yet, but the change had come. The birds of the north had arrived creeping slowly by easy stages, taking plenty of time in their journey to the south. That live, stay, stay or going as they feel inclined.

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"And Jesus saith unto them, How many loaves have ye?—Matthew xv. 34.

So still, dear Lord, in every place that's empty, any the hollow look, With love and pity in Thy face, And give of Thy help and grace to those who meekly bend the knee.

The lives which seem so poor and low, The hearts which are so cramp'd and dull.

The baffled hopes, the impulse slow, Thy task, touchest all,—and lo! They blossom.

—Susan Coolidge.

"How many loaves have ye?" It is the Lord's first question and the hands of those who really want His help search their robes to see what they have hidden there. One brings a loaf; another brings his pain; another brings his helpless desire; another brings his poor resolution; another has nothing to bring except his sorrow that he has nothing.

It is a poor collection,—only seven loaves and a few little fishes,—but it is enough. His blessing falls upon them, and they come back to the souls which gave them up to Him multiplied into the means of healthy joy happy life.—Phillips Brooks.

Savings Certificates Popular

That Alberta Government Provincial Savings Certificates are recognized as a sound investment is indicated by the fact that sales during 1929 reached a total of \$815,060 and above all withdrawals. The net purchases during the year were more than double those of 1927. A report for the year by the Treasury Department places the total amount of outstanding savings certificates at \$11,764,940. These certificates are held largely by farmers of the province.

"Laugh heartily, speak kindly, and live wisely" are among a number of health rules issued by Dr. W. A. Daley, Hull, England, medical officer.

No Ground For Pessimism

Statistics Show Large Percentage Of University Graduates Remain In Canada

An independent survey of students dealing with the whereabouts of our university graduates is somewhat enlightening in the way of refuting exaggerated statements to the effect that they are flocking to the United States. The latest available statistics show that 82.8 per cent of the living graduates of the University of Toronto are resident in Canada. Only 13.6 per cent in the United States; the University of Western Ontario has retained 80 per cent, while 83 per cent of the University of Manitoba's graduates have remained in their native country. This story finds a repetition in almost every college in the Dominion. Moreover, many graduates have found their way elsewhere only temporarily and will return in due course. Evidently there is not so much room for pessimism as many have imagined.

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The Northward Trek

Homesteaders Show Preference For Land In Northern Districts

More than half of all the homesteads taken up in Canada last year were in central and northern Alberta; more than one-third were in the Grand Prairie and Peace River land districts. New settlers coming into central and northern Alberta last year increased the population by more than 20,000. The 5,000 homesteads represent about 1,373,770 acres of land. The significant feature of all this is that the northward march of the man intent on taking up land. Much has been said in the last two or three years of the northward trek of the miner, the electric engineer and the pulp and paper men. But the farmer is heading that way too. And all indications are that 1929 will beat 1928—Edmonton Journal.

You can't judge a man's status in this country, except to know that if he acts impudently he isn't.

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About Town and Country

The C.W.L. of the Sacred Heart Church, will hold a St. Patrick's Tea and sale of Home Cooking, on Saturday, March 16, at the Cash show room. You are cordially invited.

Mr. Clifford Cates, who has been visiting in Saskatoon, returned to Oyen last Monday.

Mr. R. S. Snell, left yesterday morning for Calgary, where he will spend a few days on business.

Mr. B. F. VanHorn, left yesterday on a business trip to Calgary.

Famous Clock spring showing of Ladies Coats and Dresses at J. Purcell's, Friday and Saturday, March 8 and 9.

A pleasant social was held in the United Church last Thursday evening, when Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nielsen were presented with an electric floor lamp and Miss Ella Church was presented with a travelling hot box; the presentations being made in recognition of their past services.

Supper will be served by the Ladies Aid of the United Church at the District Builders' dance to be held on April 5. No extra charge over the price of admission tickets. Music by Oyen Imperial Orchestra.

Ladies—Mr. McDonald of Gossard Corsets, will be with us on Tuesday or Wednesday, next. Phone for appointment.—S. A. Miller.

Miss Ella Church, left this week to commence her duties as teacher at Blairgowrie school.

Miss Josephine Ouzut, who has been spending the winter in the states, returned to Oyen last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Snyder and son Jack, returned to Oyen last Saturday, after visiting in the States.

Mr. Joe Colton, of Haven, who has been spending the winter months in the old country, returned to Oyen last Saturday.

Mr. S. A. Miller, who was a business visitor in Calgary for ten days, returned to Oyen last Friday.

Mr. Fred L. Warneke, who has been spending several weeks in Calgary, returned to Oyen last Saturday.

Pool Makes Payment

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the grower, unhampered by any turn the market may take when a large volume of crop remains unsold. To pursue such a policy consistently throughout the whole season, the Selling Agency must be at all times in a strong financial and market position. Should we at any time make too large an initial or interim payment on any grade the net returns to grower would probably suffer as a consequence.

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March Temperatures

Thursday, Feb. 28	+26
Friday, 1	+26
Saturday, 2	+27
Sunday, 3	+31
Monday, 4	+29
Tuesday, 5	+24
Wednesday, 6	00

Dial's Auction Sales

Wed., March 13—100 head of heavy horses at the ranch of Hallman and Snell, 18-26-3, (12 miles SE. of Oyen). This bunch includes 25 head of broke horses and the pure bred registered shire stallion "Berry Creek Fashion". There will also be sold a quantity of harnesses and a McCormick binder. Lunch served, sale to commence at 1 o'clock. J. Hallman and R. S. Snell, proprietors.

Thurs., March 14—At the farm of Mr. Dan McQuarrie, 18-27-5, (5 miles south of Lethbridge). Horses, farm machinery, household goods etc., a Ford touring car and a Chevrolet truck. Lunch served. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock. Mr. Dan McQuarrie, owner.

Sat., March 23—At Sibbald, Alta., commencing at 1 o'clock p.m., 13 head of horses, harness, farm machinery and a miscellaneous assortment of articles. Reuben Oretzky, owner.

Tues., March 26—At the farm of Mr. J. R. Arnold, 16-29-2, (3 miles west and 7 miles north of Sibbald) 14 head of horses, farm machinery, harness and miscellaneous articles. Lunch served. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock. J. R. Arnold, owner.

Thurs., March 21—At the farm of Mr. Simon Crowley, 20-25-3, (9 miles straight north of Excel) 12 head of horses, cattle, harness, machinery, feed, turkeys and hens, potatoes and miscellaneous articles. Lunch served. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock. Simon Crowley, owner.

Power Farming Schools

The Rumley school of instruction, held in Oyen Theatre yesterday, was well attended, and was very favorably commented upon. Twenty-five holders of lucky tickets each received a gallon can of lubricating oil.

To-day the Twin City school of instruction is being held in the Masonic Hall, and is being well attended.

To-morrow the Massey Harris school of instruction will be held in the Masonic Hall.

Art Wade attended the Hand Hillsspiel, last week and appears to have had a while of a time. He won a third and fourth in the two competitions, and curling with a Hanna rink, won the "Bob" MacPherson trophy. This is a cup presented by B. A. MacPherson, of Delta, a director of the Alberta Wheat Pool, for challenge games among the clubs along this line.

For Sale—A Ford coupe. Also 20 run, single disc Van Brunt drill, almost new. Bargain price. Apply W. V. Miller.

Bill Owen, who has been attending the General Motors, Pontiac school of instruction in Calgary, returned to Oyen Sunday, and is back again on the staff at Johnson's Garage.

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FOR SALE—Two hot-air furnaces. Suitable for residence or rural school buildings. For further information call on or write, F. C. Bliss, Sec-Treas., Oyen School District, Oyen, Alta.

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